

Virginia Green Partner Profile:





Sandbridge Realty

Virginia Beach, Virginia

Virginia Green is the Commonwealth of Virginia's campaign to promote environmentally-friendly practices is all aspects of Virginia's tourism industry. Virginia Green has established "core activities" specific to each sector of tourism, and these practices are considered the required minimum for participation in the program. However, Virginia Green expects its participants to strive to reduce their environmental impacts in all aspects of their operations; and this profile provides a full list of all their "green" activities. These are the activities that customers can expect to find when they work with or visit the offices of this organization.

Sandbridge Realty

Sandbridge Realty is a vacation realty company that is located in Sandbridge, which is at the southern-most portion of Virginia Beach. Sandbridge extends along 5 miles of coast between the ocean and Currituck Sound and is primarily vacation homes and rentals. Sandbridge Realty manages over 320 homes and condos. Many of their owners and customers are very environmentally-conscious, and, in particular, want to be able to recycle while on vacation. Since the local municipality of Virginia Beach no longer serves this area, Sandbridge Realty now provides recycling at its offices, and they plan to expand our environmental initiatives in the future.

CORE ACTIVITIES for Partner Organizations

- **Support Virginia Green**
- **§** Green Meetings and Conferences
- **\$** Recycling

DETAILS:

- Provide centralized recycling for all of our homeowners and renters.
- Sending out emails and mailers to all property owners encouraging them to consider joining Virginia Green.
- Highlighting our involvement in Virginia Green on our website and including a link to our Virginia Green facility profile.
 - Installing high efficiency compact fluorescent bulbs in rooms and spotlights and high efficiency fluorescent ballasts and lamps.

- Using high efficiency fluorescent lamps and ballasts (T-5s and T-8s)
- Using ceiling fans and natural lighting as much as possible
- Making plans to *become more green* each year!

For more information on **Sandbridge Realty**, see www.sandbridge.com

For more information on *Virginia Green* program, see www.deq.virginia.gov/p2/virginiagreen.



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